# 2002 National Service-Learning Leader Schools Program

Application Deadline: Friday, January 4, 2002, 5pm

Interested schools must submit portfolio applications (1 original and 3 copies in separate, 1", 3-ring binders) to:

California Department of Education
CalServe Initiative
721 Capitol Mall, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor,
Sacramenta, CA 95914

Sacramento, CA 95814 Attn: Carol L. Ginzburg



## Timeline for California Applicant Schools

#### <u>2001</u>

Nov-Dec..... Schools prepare portfolio applications for submission to CDE

#### <u>2002</u>

Jan 4 ... Applications must be received by CDE—CalServe Initiative by 5 pm

Jan 9-10..... California panel reviews portfolio applications and selects the top 7 as its Leader School nominations to the Corporation for National Service (CNS)

Jan 18..... CDE submits portfolio applications of California's nominees to CNS

February..... National review panel convenes to evaluate state applications

March 23.... CNS announces 2002 Leader Schools at the National Service-Learning conference in Seattle

Mid-June .... CNS hosts Leadership Institute/Recognition Ceremony in Washington DC

### Web Sites with Key Information

National Service-Learning Leader School Program: http://www.esilsg.org/educ-one.htm

Leader School Applications: www.esilsg.org/hsapp.pdf or www.esilsg.org/midsapp.pdf

The Corporation for National Service: http://www.cns.gov

CalServe, California's service-learning initiative: http://www.cde.ca.gov/calserve